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PART VI. PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS FOREST DEPARTMENT.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Notification dated 23rd May 1931.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of collection and removal of Thupra-leaves, from all Government unoccupied lands, Amruth Mahal Kavals, State Forests, Reserve Lands and Plantations in the undermentioned Taluks of Tumkur District for the three years from 1st July 1931 to 30th June 1934 will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Officer concerned on the dates and at the places noted below. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests as the case may be.

1. No person will be allowed to bid unless he deposits with the sale conducting officer an earnest money in cash or currency note of Rs. 25 which in the case of all unsuccessful bidders will be duly returned after the close of the sale. No defaulters will be permitted to bid.

2. The highest bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, pay up the one-fourth sale amount together with local, education and railway cesses on the entire sale amount at Re. 0-1-0, Re. 0-0-6 and Re. 0-0-3 in the rupee respectively inclusive of the initial deposit of Rs. 25 and shall further pay into Government Treasury the balance of the three-fourths of the sale amount in instalments as shown below:—

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| 1st khist | on or before the 1st November 1931. |
| 2nd khist | on or before the 1st July 1932. |
| 3rd khist | on or before the 1st July 1934. |

If the contractor fails to pay up the sale amounts and cesses in the manner indicated above the sale will be cancelled and a resale will be held at the risk of the original purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may accrue which will be recoverable as arrears of Land Revenue under section 79 of the Forest Regulation but shall not participate in any profit that may result. Further all the money so far paid shall be forfeited to Government.

3. Within fifteen days from the date of confirmation of the sale the purchaser shall execute a mutchhalika on a duly stamped paper and shall further deposit in the Government Savings Bank an amount equal to one-fourth the sale amount or Rs. 500 whichever is less, duly pledged to the District Forest Officer. Failure to do this will also entail cancellation of the sale and further action will be taken as per above said conditions.

4. The other conditions will generally be the same as those applicable in the case of the notification regarding the sale of Minor Forest Produce lease except the payment of the sale amount which if deemed necessary will be explained at the time of sale:—

Name of Taluk	Place of sale	Date and time of sale
Tumkur ... Gubbi ... Chiknayakanhalli ... Tiptur ... Turuvekere Sub-Taluk ... Kunigal ... Pavagada ... Madhugiri ... Koratagere ... Sira ...	Tumkur ... Kunigal ... Madhugiri ... Sira ...	13th June 1931, 3 P.M. 15th do 3 P.M. 17th do 3 P.M. 19th do 3 P.M.

K. BEVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

RE-SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 19th May 1931.

The timber of the defaulting purchasers will be resold by public auction at the following depots by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, at 2 P.M., on the dates noted against each depot under the following conditions:—

Sl. No.	Name of depot where timber is available	Date of sale	Place of sale
1	Manchagowdanahalli ..	16th June 1931	Manchagowdanahalli
2	Anthersanthe ..	16th do	Anthersanthe
3	Hunsur ..	17th do	Hunsur
4	Periapatna ..	18th do	Periapatna
5	Begur ..	17th do	Begur
6	Saragur ..	18th do	Saragur
7	Hampapur ..	19th do	Hampapur
8	Chamrajnagar ..	15th do	Chamrajnagar
9	Nanjangud ..	16th do	Nanjangud
10	Mysore Wood Yard ..	24th do	Mysore Wood Yard

Conditions.

1. Each bidder shall place a deposit of Rs. 200 with the Officer conducting the sale. But defaulters to the department will not be allowed to bid at the sales.

In the case of purchasers of timber in small quantities full value thereof will be accepted, if tendered on the spot, and the payment of deposit in such cases will not be insisted.

2. Any person bidding at the sale may be required by the officer conducting the sale to state whether he is bidding on his own behalf or as an agent, and in the latter case, to produce a written authority duly signed by the principal.

3. The highest bidder shall ordinarily be the purchaser, but the officer conducting the sale can reject any bid or stop the sale at any stage without assigning any reason to the intending purchasers.

4. Immediately after the lot is knocked down to him, the successful bidder shall sign his name opposite the number and specification of the lot bought by him in a book provided for the purpose. Such signature shall be held as admission on his part of having bought such lot and of having accepted the terms of the sale as herein specified. All sales of which the amount exceeds Rs. 500 in each case are subject to the confirmation of the Conservator and in other cases to that of the District Forest Officer.

5. After conclusion of the sale, each purchaser shall pay the full amount in cash to the officer conducting the sale and obtain in return from him a receipt vouching for the payment. Should any purchaser fail to comply with this rule, the initial deposit of Rs. 200 shall at once be forfeited to Government and the officer conducting the sale shall be at

liberty to resell the timber purchased by such defaulter who shall be required to make good any loss but shall not participate in any profit from such resale. The amount due by such defaulter on account of loss from resale shall be recovered from him as a revenue demand under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. In calculating such losses, the initial deposit forfeited to Government shall not be taken into account.

In cases of resales for default of payment of value where no bidders are forthcoming, it will be open to the District Forest Officer to fix such price as may appear to him to be reasonable and to proceed for the recovery from the defaulter of the balance, if any, after deducting the price so fixed from the original sale amount. A registered notice shall be issued to the defaulter intimating the price fixed by the District Forest Officer, for the unsold wood and the amount still due from him which will be recovered as arrears of land revenue.

6. The deposits tendered by the unsuccessful bidders shall be returned immediately after the sales are concluded, those of successful bidders being lodged in the Savings Bank as security deposit.

7. If the amount is not fully paid for by the purchaser on the sale date the initial deposit as well as the other moneys already paid in, shall be forfeited to Government and all or any portion of the timber not fully paid for shall be resold at the risk of the purchaser.

8. No timber lot shall be permitted to be removed by the purchaser unless it has been paid for in full, calculated at the rates at which the timber is knocked down to him at the time of sale, and no timber shall be removed from the depot unless a permit is obtained from the Forest Officer in charge of the Depot.

9. Timber purchased shall be removed as early as possible, and in no case should it be allowed to remain longer than 90 days after the dates fixed in clause 7 *supra*. Timber not removed after purchase, will remain in the Depot at the risk of the purchaser from the date of the confirmation of the sale.

10. If the timber is not removed within the time allowed, the same may, after ten days' notice to the purchaser, be sold in public auction and the proceeds will be given to the purchaser after defraying all the expenses in connection with the resale.

11. The deposit of Rs. 200 will remain as security for the due fulfilment of all and every one of the terms of sale, on the breach of any of which by the purchaser, the District Forest Officer shall be entitled to forfeit the deposit in whole or in part and in the event of such forfeiture, the sum so forfeited shall be immediately made good by the purchaser so long as the transaction is not finally closed. The security deposit or the balance thereof, if any, shall be returned to the purchaser after the full value of timber purchased has been paid for and the timber fully removed.

H. S. NARAYANA RAO,

District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 6th May 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification pertaining to the sale of timber in the Government Saw Mill and Sale Depots, Shimoga, to be held on the 1st and 3rd June 1931, respectively, published in pages 514 and 515 of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th May 1931.

C. A. JABBAR,

District Forest Officer.

BHADRAVATI DIVISION.

Abstract Notification dated 15th May 1931.

Adverting to the Timber Sale Notification of Bhadravati Depot fixed for the 3rd June, published on pages 483 and 484, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated the 14th May 1931, the public are hereby informed that the said sale of the Depot has been postponed to 6th June 1931.

For other conditions of the sale, etc., the attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification published on pages 483 and 484, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th May 1931.

Abstract Notification dated 15th May 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the timber sale notification of Bhadravati Depot fixed for the 6th June 1931, published on pages 481 and 483 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 14th May 1931.

Abstract Notification dated 16th May 1931.

The attention of the public is invited to the bamboo sale notification of Chornedehalli and Aramballi forests for the calendar year 1931 fixed for the 8th June 1931 published on pages 539 and 540, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 21st May 1931.

H. V. RANGASWAMIENGAR,

District Forest Officer.